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R. Nellie Bogue Hibbert, Union County Clerk
1001 4TH Street; suite D
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Dear Nellie,

I certify that Berta Churchill has petitioned, as required by the Charter of the City of Elgin, for the office of MAYOR; that she is a qualified elector of the City of Elgin; that she has submitted a nominating petition containing at least 20 valid signatures of City electors; and, that she has resided in the City of Elgin for a period of at least 12 months prior to the general election on November 7, 2000. (Term of office will begin January 9, 2001 and run for two years.)

The ballot for the office of Mayor should appear similar to the following:

MAYOR, VOTE FOR ONE:

1. Berta Churchill
2. ##############

I further certify that Patrick McMullen, John D. Braughton and Marc W. Stauffer have petitioned, as required by the Charter of the City of Elgin, for the office of COUNCILOR; that each is a qualified elector of the City of Elgin; that each has submitted nominating petitions containing at least 20 signatures of City electors; and, that each has resided in the City of Elgin for a period of at least 12 months prior to the general election on November 7, 2000. (Term of office will begin January 9, 2001 and run for four years.)

The ballot for the office of Councilor should appear similar to the following:

CITY COUNCILOR, VOTE FOR THREE:

1. Pat McMullen
2. John Braughton
3. Marc W. Stauffer
4. ################

And I further certify that Joe Garlitz has petitioned, as required by the Charter of the City of Elgin, for the office of RECORDER/ADMINISTRATOR; that he is a qualified elector of the City of Elgin; that he has submitted a nominating petition containing at least 20 signatures of City electors; and, that he has resided in the City of Elgin for a period of at least 12 months prior to the general election on November 7, 2000. (Term of office will begin January 9, 2001 and run for two years.)

The ballot for the office of Recorder/Administrator should appear similar to the following:

RECORDER/ADMINISTRATOR, VOTE FOR ONE:

1. Joe Garlitz
2. ##########

Also, please be advised that the nominating petition submitted by Judy Rabourne was received at our office on August 29 at 4:35 P.M., 25 minutes prior to the filing deadline. Furthermore, at the time of submission of her petition Ms. Rabourne was not a qualified elector of the City of Elgin. Her petition for nomination as COUNCILOR is therefore not certifiable.

Sincerely,

Joe Garlitz, Recorder/Administrator